

## FROM THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR



Leaders from City Hall at the Frederick Douglas Statue Unveiling on February 14th, 2024.

Welcome to the monthly newsletter from The Office of the Mayor, curated by Mayor Brandon Sakbun himself. This newsletter will highlight upcoming city events, street closures, city project updates, public safety information, and whatever else Mayor Brandon thinks you all, the citizens, should be informed of.

"We have made strides in February. Some priorities for March are ARPA funding, infill housing, starting street paving projects, and conducting an internal audit on our 311 system. Progress is being made daily with the city administration and I cannot thank you enough for your support. As always, do not hesitate to reach out to me at Mayor@Terrehaute.in.gov."

#### -Mayor Brandon



## COUNTDOWN TO THE SOLAR ECLIPSE

# The solar eclipse is April 8th!

For more solar eclipse information and events click <u>Here</u>.

It has been **819** years since the path of totality has swept across the Terre Haute area. Totality is a very

# DEPARTMENT SPOTLIGHT

The Department of Parks & Recreation

## GOLF SEASON OFFICIALLY STARTS TODAY!

Call the pro shop for hours of operation, weather can affect tee time.

#### <u>Rea Park</u>

Rea Park is a 18 hole course featuring 6482 yards of golf from the longest tees for a par of 72. The course rating is 69.8 and it has a slope rating of 113. Rea Park opened for play in 1920. This course is a fun and different viewing experience. A total solar eclipse is literally a night and day difference than a partial solar eclipse (which Terre Haute experienced in 2017).

<u>View</u> the Terre Haute Police Department's PSA for eclipse.

April's newsletter will have more 'week of' solar eclipse updates and public safety information. Follow our socials for frequent updates!

## MARCH STREET CLOSURES

Click <u>Here</u> to view all of the planned street closures within the city limits for the month of March.\*

\*For additional Street closure information please follow our City of Terre Haute Facebook page.

## MARCH CITY EVENTS

This month is FULL of events as we move into our spring season programming!

See what city events are happening this month in Terre Haute!

#### Event List

challenging golf experience for all!

Phone: 812-232-0709 Address: 3500 South 7th street

#### Hulman Links

Hulman Links is a 18 hole course featuring 7225 yards of golf from the longest tees for a par 72. The course rating is 74.9 and it has a slope rating of 144. Hulman Links has been recognized numerous times, it was named the 2009 Indiana Municipal Golf Course of the Year.

Phone: 812-877-2096 Address: 990 North Chamberlain Street

## Rea Park Ground Breaking Ceremony of the Clubhouse Renovation is March 18th!

This ceremony kicks off the renovation and construction project to enhance and restore Rea Park and its clubhouse.

#### Learn More

#### First Tee Program



"Downtown Terre Haute continues to improve. Thank you to all of our small businesses for embracing Indiana State University and the success of their basketball program." - Mayor Brandon



"On the latest episode of *Monday's with the Mayor*, I travel to Scout's Pizzeria to talk to local business owner Scout Wrin. We discuss the importance of a strong downtown and it's impact on the local economy.

The city planner, engineer, and myself are hard at work designing a downtown that draws both visitors and new residents. We enjoy our partnership with Downtown Terre Haute's Board and enjoy working with all the business owners downtown in design conversations.

We want Hoosiers and Hauteans alike to love our downtown and enjoy all of it's amenities. We have increased our trash pick up in the area and street sweeping. We are working with several groups to continue to schedule downtown festivals and events. There is much work to do across our city not just downtown, but for now, enjoy this episode of fun conversation and of course pizza."

-Mayor Brandon

## THE NEW RECYCLING LOCATION IS NOW OPEN!

THE STREETS DEPARTMENT LOCATED AT 1329 Deming Street Terre Haute, IN 47807 IS NOW ACCEPTING RECYCLABLES!

## ITEMS MUST BE PLACED LOOSELY IN BIN!



**NO** GLASS, PLASTIC BAGS, LOOSE PLASTIC WRAP, OR PIZZA BOXES. DO NOT BRING YOUR TRASH HERE.

EMPTY, CLEAN, AND DRY, ITEMS ONLY

## ACCEPTABLE

PAPER ENVELOPES, JUNK MAIL, PHONE BOOKS, BROCHURES, MAGAZINES

#### CARDBOARD

FILE FOLDERS, POSTER BOARD, FROZEN FOOD BOXES, CARDBOARD BOXES, MILK CARTONS

## PLASTIC (1,2,5 ONLY)

WATER BOTTLES, TAKE-OUT CONTAINERS, SODA BOTTLES, MILK JUGS, DETERGENT CONTAINERS

#### ALUMINUM/METAL

ALUMINUM DRINK CANS, FOOD CANS, SCRAP METAL AEROSOL CANS ALUMINUM FOIL BATTERIES CLOTHING FOOD SCRAPS MIRRORS CERAMIC PLASTIC BAGS SHREDDED PAPER STICKERS/ADDRESS LABELS STYROFOAM PAPER TOWELS ALL GLASS

UNACCEPTABLE

CONTAMINATION WILL RESULT IN CLOSING RECYCLING SITES. DO THE RIGHT THING.

"I wanted to provide an update regarding our partnership with Vigo County Solid Waste Management.

In just one month;

- Our partnership led to a new recycling center. We will now pick up the dumpsters three times a week because of the increased usage of the center. Glass recycling is scheduled to begin in May 2024. A street sign is being made to direct traffic to the recycling center. Many citizens have expressed frustrations with the current bins that we have due to the lid being higher off the ground. To address this, we will be moving to a 30 yard dumpster with side panels. This makes it easier to drop items into the dumpster. So far we have had ZERO contaminated items dropped in our recycling center. That is a true testament to the communities efforts to safely recycle and work with the city.
- We added two containers for e-waste and tires at the Street Department. While these are not open to the public currently, they are allowing us to centralize the drop off point for these items. This is already helping our operational costs in terms of gas and labor. By having a central drop off point for the Street Department and Code Enforcement, we no longer have to drive to Vigo County Solid Waste Management multiple times a day.
- Our Street Department cleared several city properties from brush and trash. The Vigo County Solid Waste Management team provided a dumpster for clean up and covered costs associated with drop off and pick up.

• We scheduled our community clean up for April 13th and decided to have 4 drop off locations (Woodrow Wilson, Sarah Scott, Otter Creek, and the old Police Department). This is a collaboration between the School Corporation, Vigo County Solid Waste Management, and the City (more information next month).

Our next challenge will be looking into our 311 system and finding solutions to large item pick up. We continue to work towards a cleaner Terre Haute."

-Mayor Brandon



Do you have a municipal issue to report? Large item pickup at your city residence? Contact 311! A **FREE** city resource.

How to contact | What can I report?

## MATTRESS AND LARGE ITEM DROP OFF LOCATION

City residents are being offered a new service from Vigo County!

Vigo County Solid Waste Management has opened a collection site taking in old mattresses and living room furniture.

Drop off items at 3230 E Haythorne Ave.\* Every Mon, Tues, Wed- 9am to 3:30pm First Saturday of every month- 10am to 2pm

\*Limit of 2 mattresses/box springs per visit, limit of one couch/love seat/recliner per visit.



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